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Work contracted for. Prices low. Sat-
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Strictly wholesale. We also make a
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My greenhouses are now well stocked with a
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cost about one-half the price. Leaky
roofs repaired and all work guaranteed.

Mr. HARRISON need not be introduced

to the public, being one of the leading
jewellers of the city for the last five
years. He will be pleased to see you at
Harrison's Jewelry Bazaar, 22 Salem
avenue.

You can't give a more desirable present
than a piece of fine jewelry. You
will find it at Harrison's Jewelry Bazaar,
22 Salem avenue.

Do you wish to make your wife,
sweetheart, brother, sister, father or
mother a fine present? You will find
watches, diamonds, jewelry, clocks, sil-
verware, optical goods and novelties in
abundance at Harrison's Jewelry Bazaar,
22 Salem avenue.

Do you need a pair of glasses, in gold,
silver or nickel frame? You can have
them adjusted to your sight at Harri-
son's Jewelry Bazaar. Mr. Harrison hav-
ing had ten years' experience in that
line.

Women Can Vote at School Elections.
MR. VERNON, Ill., Jan. 20.—The su-
preme court has rendered a decision that
women can vote at the school elections.
East spring Martha F. Plummer and
Mary M. Moss defeated Oscar O. Yost
and Otto Wallace by the aid of the votes
of 293 women. The county court de-
cided against the women, but, on ap-
peal, the supreme court reverses the
lower court.

It Gives Tons
To the stomach and digestive organs; makes
the food digest, and puts strength in all parts of the
man. Tired ladies, whose cars seem as mon-
sters, will receive strength to perform all duties,
endure great fatigue, and enjoy every thing in
life. This wonderful tonic invigorates at once
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POVERTY of the blood can be arrested and health
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Old papers for the next week at 10
cents per hundred.

If you feel weak
and all worn out take
BROWN'S IRON BITTERS

EVERY lady knows whether she is
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plaints peculiar to her sex, and if she
is, it will cost her nothing to consult
privately either in person or by letter,
and thus learn of the remedy that will
cure her. Every irregularity or un-
naturalness, all inflammations, ulcerations
and weaknesses are completely
cured, and the system fully restored to
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THE TIMES KODAK.

Items of News Gathered About Town.

In Roanoke county circuit court yes-
terday the case of the Queen City Land
Company vs. F. J. Chapman was con-
tinued at the cost of the plaintiff just
before trial on account of the indisposi-
tion of Mrs. L. M. Bruffy, one of the
principal witnesses.

The legal question which is agitating
the minds of the bar is whether or not
where a corporation is insolvent, and a
suit has been instituted by its creditors
against the corporation and its stock-
holders, a decree can be granted by the
judge directly against such stockhold-
ers or whether separate actions must be
instituted by a receiver when the liability
of a corporation has been deter-
mined. Judge Blair has set apart Tues-
day next for the discussion of this ques-
tion, as there are many cases pending in
the court whose fate will depend upon the
decision of this question. Almost every
member of the bar, resident and non-
resident, will be concerned.

To-day court will probably hear the
appeal road case of Mrs. Martin and J.
Garst vs. the public, which was brought
up from the County Court. J. S. Baer
and Maj. S. Griffin for the appellants;
Hansbrough & Hansbrough and Penn &
Cooke for the appellees.

A meeting of the directors of the
Dixie Land Company was held yester-
day afternoon at Hotel Lucerne. Capt.
J. C. Langhorne in the chair and Arthur
Powell, secretary. The principal mat-
ter before the meeting was the con-
sideration of the resignation of A. T.
Powell as secretary and treasurer,
which was accepted, as he is about to
leave for Richmond. E. G. Langhorne
was appointed as his successor. The
board adjourned to meet again next
Wednesday.

E. W. Taylor, paymaster at Salem
Furnace, whose mysterious disappearance
and reported shortage were pub-
lished in these columns yesterday, has
returned by mail to the furnace com-
pany all the missing checks, and his ac-
counts there are said to be all right
now. No reason is assigned for his
strange action. Late yesterday after-
noon Constable Lloyd attached the per-
sonal effects of Mr. Taylor for debt. A.
A. Smithwick has taken the book-
keeper's position at the furnace.

E. J. Patton, of Covington, is regis-
tered at Hotel Lucerne.

A suit of clothes was picked up on
Thursday on the road between Roanoke
and Salem by Thomas Wormack. The
party who advertised for a lost suit of
clothes in yesterday's Times had better
communicate with him.

At 1.30 yesterday afternoon the roof
of the kitchen in rear of Dr. Dillard's
residence in West Salem caught fire
from a spark from the chimney, and but
for the strenuous exertions of A. T.
Powell, Robert Kasey, J. W. Hannah
and John Haislip the results might have
been serious. As it was, the fire was
nearly out by the time the fire company
arrived, and but little damage was done.

Gen. J. A. Walker, of Wythe county,
the last commander of the Stonewall
Brigade, was in town yesterday.

THE RULE OF THE ROAD.

Written for THE TIMES by J. W. Plaines.

The death of ex-President Hayes re-
calls a story told of him by one of his
personal friends. Shortly after he left
the White House, perhaps the following
winter, he went to Bermuda, chiefly to
get rid of running after the chickens in
the snow; secondly to visit his brother-
in-law, General Hastings, who was very
badly wounded in the rebellion, and
finds in a mild climate a home more to
his liking. "Fairlyland," the home of
General Hastings, is a most lovely spot
naturally, and good taste and wealth
have made it well nigh perfect. It
ranks as one of the "show places" along
with the governors' and admirals' resi-
dences.

The ex-President is very fond of
driving his own team and is counted a
fair whip, but the old adage, "You
Can't Teach an Old Dog New Tricks,"
came near his undoing. In all English
countries "the rule of the road" is turn
to the left. Mr. Hayes was told this,
but apparently didn't believe it, for he
persisted in going to the right as he
would have done in Ohio.

When Bermuda was a convict station
her roads were hewn to a grade from
the solid rock and a fall could not be
anything but unpleasant. Mr. Hayes
drove to St. George's, twelve miles dis-
tant, passed Tommy Atkins and Mul-
vaney in a dump cart, but no accident
this time. Returning there was a con-
spiracy awaiting him. These worthy
wearers of the queen's uniform had de-
cided to take a wheel off the "bloomin'
trap," if he didn't keep his side of the
road, which they did only too effectually.
The ex-President got a terrific tumble
and a broken arm.

The Young Ladies Lost Their Clothes.

Fire broke out yesterday about 1
o'clock in the closet on the second story
of the residence of W. C. Williams, on
the corner of Roanoke street and Church
avenue. The fire was caused by a lump
of coal falling out of the stove and
igniting a rug on the floor, which
burned to the wardrobe and caused the
flames to ignite the clothes therein.
The loss of Mrs. Williams will amount
to \$250 and the loss of all the clothing
of a couple of ladies from Lynchburg,
who were visiting Mrs. Williams, will
amount to \$300. The damage to the
house was very slight.

RADAM'S MICROBE KILLER.

Of Interest to Ladies.

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He Guessed at It.

The young professor of philology was
doing a great deal of talking for a
small man.

"Ah," he said, after a burst of elo-
quence, "there is nothing I love so
much as the study of words."
"What sort of words?" asked another
man who had, until now, had nothing to
say.
"Oh, any kind of words—all words;
language in general."
"Ugh," grunted the old man, "I guess
you haven't got a wife."—Detroit Free
Press.

The Editor's Mistake.

Great Statesman—You were in rather
a sad condition when you left the ban-
quet the other night.

Reporter—Yes, I drank more than
was good for me.

Great Statesman—So I noticed. And
it showed in your report of my speech.
It was terribly mixed up. Didn't the
editor raise a row about it?

Reporter—No, he didn't blame me
any. He thought you were drunk.—N
Y. Weekly.

Anything Would Do.

Young Doctor (to patient)—That
prescription I left last night, sir, was a
mistake. It was intended for another
patient, suffering from a complaint of
quite a different kind to yours. Did you
have it made up?

Patient—Yes, doctor, and I took the
medicine.

Doctor—Well, how are you feeling
this morning?

Patient—Very much better.—Boston
Globe.

They Were Learned Rabbits.

A Spanish student going out with a
party to shoot rabbits was told not to
talk, lest he should frighten the rab-
bits.

When the timid creatures appeared he
uttered an exclamation in Latin which
frightened them away; and upon his
companions blaming him he said: "Who
could have supposed that rabbits under-
stand Latin?"

Made It Pleasant.

Sophie—Did you have a good time
while you were away last summer?

Hortense—Yes; splendid.

Sophie—Were there any young men
stopping at your hotel?

Hortense—No; but two or three of
the girls smoked cigarettes, and one of
them could swear just like a man.—
Brooklyn Eagle.

Once and Repeat.

Clara—I hear you have broken with
Mr. Wadsworth for the second time?

Blanche—I returned his ring the first
time and after we made up he tried to
work it off on me again.—Chicago News
Record.

To Be Precise.

He—You seem to look upon a propo-
sal of marriage as an everyday af-
fair.

She—Well, no. Hardly that. Every
other day. I never give my answer the
same day.—Life.

Thoughtful Barber.

"You make your conversations quite
interesting," said the customer who
was getting a very poor shave.

"How's that?" asked the barber.

"You illustrate it with cuts."—Des
Moines Argonaut.

Pure Labor.

Young Man—Does your sister play the
piano, Bobby?

Bobby—Play it! No; but she works
it about seven hours a day.—Texas Sift-
ings.

After the Theatre.

He—I felt like an inspired idiot.

She—Yes, but you didn't look a bit
inspired.—Judge.

IT WASN'T THAT KIND.



Uncle Jabez—I wonder if I can ex-
change old Miranda for one of them
nice young gals I saw in the store!—
Truth.

A Question.

I've often wondered if the man
who sang with soul ready to burst,
Felt half as bad about his last cigar
As I did—finishing my first. —Puck.

Took No Chances.

Fond Parent—How dare you match
pennies? Don't you know that gam-
bling is a crime?

Bobby—What is gambling, pop?

Fond Parent—Indulging in a game of
chance.

Bobby—Not guilty, pop. I have a
penny with two heads.—Truth.

Forced Bribery.

Judge—You admit that you bribed
the witness, as the other side charge?

Lawyer—Yes, your honor; but—

Judge (severely)—What?

Lawyer—I bribed him to tell the
truth. He was going to lie for the
other side.—Puck.

Tempting Vindict.

Hungry Guest—What have you got to
eat?

New Waiter—We have some fine fried
fish.

"Is it ready?"

"Oh, yes, it was cooked the day be-
fore yesterday."—Texas Siftings.

Entirely Different.

Miss Centiment (who has just listened
to a proposal)—But I don't love you!

Mr. Hardiment—Great Scott! I don't
want you to. I want you to be my wife.
—Chicago News Record.

A Matter of Position.

Blackton—I have noticed a funny thing
about men who have been taken in.

Kendick—What is it?

Blackton—They are usually very much
put out.—Truth.

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